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LAW CHANGES FOR HUNTERS

NEW LEGISLATION EFFECTIVE THIS YEAR FOR FIRST TIME

A number of important changes in the Michigan game laws will be effective with the opening of the hunting season this fall, the result of laws passed at the last session of the state legislature with the view of conserving wild life.

The most important change is the shortening of the partridge season to five days. The open season for partridge, or ruffed grouse, was fixed by the last session of the legislature from October 25 to 31, inclusive. The limits on partridge were fixed at five in one day, 10 in possession and 20 in the season.

Last year the partridge season was open from October 13 to November 20, inclusive, and hunters were allowed 25 for the season. A serious scarcity of birds existed at the close of the season last year, and sportsmen generally advocated shortening or closing the season to preserve this splendid game.

Deer Season Shortened.

The deer season was shortened five days by the last session of the legislature. The season on deer is open this year from November 15 to November 30, inclusive, as against November 10 to November 20 last year.

The restriction in hunting deer and the limit was left the same, namely, one male with not less than three-inch antlers under a hunter's license and one male with not less than three-inch antlers under camp license. It is also unlawful to use artificial light or dogs in hunting deer, or to kill deer in red coat, or while in the water, or any female deer.

The season on bear also was opened to sportsmen by an act of the last legislature, from November 15 to November 30, inclusive, which is the same as the deer season. Only one bear may be taken and a deer license must be possessed in order to shoot bear.

Hunters Are Warned.

With the approach of hunting season, hunters are warned of the new law which prohibits carrying a gun on hunting groups out of the hunting season without a permit. This law is aimed to put a stop to shooting game out of season by making it impossible for the warden to arrest anyone carrying a gun in the woods without a permit.

"SEE AMERICA" CURWOOD ADVISES

Says James Oliver Curwood, Owosso novelist, in an interview at Rome, Italy, (where he had stopped in his European itinerary) wirelessly to America:

"Stay at home. That is my advice to the million of prospective 'suckers' for the next year. See your own woods, lakes, mountains and beautiful cities and you will see something you cannot find in sea-bitten, decaying, unprogressive Europe, where everyone is out to 'gyp' you."

He declared there were 150,000 American 'fish' in Paris when he was there, looking for something unusual with big fishy, foolish eyes. They rave over paintings inferior to those in a dozen American museums, he added, and their eyes pop at the sight of mountains and lakes which in America would be only hills and pools.

TO BE BIG EVENT FOR VETERANS

LEGION MEET PROMISES TO BE BEST IN ITS HISTORY

Members of Grayling Post No. 106 American Legion, are about set for their plans for attending the veterans convention at Bay City, Sept. 6, 7 and 8, including Labor day.

Plans for the convention have been carried forward very materially. The headquarters for the convention committees will be at the armory, but the Chamber of Commerce officers will cooperate in every way.

One of the innovations will be a reunion banquet of Michigan's two fighting divisions. Capt. George J. Laetz will have charge of the 32nd division reunion, while Dr. Howard W. Geister will have charge of the 35th division reunion. The American Legion Weekly, with over one million on their mailing lists all over America each week, is giving the Bay City convention fine publicity.

Mimic Attack Executed

Last week during the National Guard encampment, Headquarters Co. of the 125th Infantry bivouaced at the Grayling Electric dam on the Au-Sable river.

Communication platoon in command of Lieut. C. S. Miller, maintained a radio station and telephone message center for 24 hours, during which time a mimic attack was executed.

The camp was inspected at that time by Col. Stock, assistant chief of staff of the U. S. army; Col. M. L. Hinckley, commanding the 125th Infantry; Col. Arnold of the 32nd Division Signal corps; Capt. Matthews and Capt. Miles, Signal corps of the U. S. army, and Major Bergin, of the Signal Corps of the U. S. army.

The officers proclaimed the work of the Headquarters company excellent and were greatly pleased with the results of the work and the tests that were carried out.

The courtesies extended by the Electric Co. in permitting the use of their property was duly appreciated by the officers and men and they were very cordial in extending their thanks; and also to Geo. Clise, powerhouse superintendent, for his many courtesies to the men.

SEALED BIDS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the director of School District No. 3, of Grayling township, up to and including Saturday, Sept. 5th, 1925 at 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the transferring of the school pupils of said district to Grayling School Dist. No. 1, Grayling, Mich., beginning Tuesday, Sept. 8th, to such time as the weather may prohibit the use of the automobile, for such transportation.

Signed: Henry Stephan, Director.

JACKSON MAN CAPTURES SWIMMING DEER.

O. C. Miller, of Jackson, who is spending the summer at Evergreen Park, Higgins Lake, followed a swimming deer in Higgins Lake in a row boat and finally captured it by means of a lasso. After a struggle he guided the deer to shore, and placed it in a pen.

Mr. Miller visioned the deer as an addition to a Jackson Park. He phoned Jackson, seeking assistance toward getting a permit from the conservation department for the retention and transportation of the deer.

But before the proper authority could be secured from Lansing officials a merciless game warden, hearing of the capture and perhaps failing to envision the ideals of Miller, went to Miller's cottage and released the deer.

OSCODA MAN MURDERS RELATIVE

One of the most cold-blooded murders that ever happened in this section of the state occurred in Clinton township, about two and one-half miles north of Comins, on Tuesday morning, August 18, at 9 o'clock, when William Kamen, married and the father of three children, stabbed his sister-in-law, Mrs. Lizzie Clemens, aged 34 years, to death using a large hunting knife.

Mrs. Clemens had been working as cook at the Island Lake Boy Scout camp, near Comins, and in company with H. F. Armitage, went to the Kamen residence, where she had been staying, after her clothes and upon arriving there went up into the attic to get the clothing, Kamen following her. A few minutes after Mr. Armitage, who remained outside, heard a scream and looking in the door saw blood dripping from the ceiling. Realizing that a crime had been committed he immediately drove to Comins and notified the officers. Sheriff Marsh was in Atlanta, Georgia, some papers so Deputy Sheriff F. L. Ankney, accompanied by F. F. Stutesman and M. O. Rhoads went to the scene of the tragedy at once and Kamen gave himself up without any trouble and they brought him to the jail in Mid. Kamen made the statement to Mr. Stutesman, that he was glad he had killed her.

In the afternoon he was taken before Justice Hochetler for arraignment and he asked for a hearing, which will be held on Friday, August 28th.

According to reports he and Mrs. Clemens were married about a year ago and she had recently informed him that their marriage was illegal and she was going away. He told her to come to his home and get her clothes and Mr. Armitage took her over there to get her clothing Tuesday morning.

It is evident that the deed was pre-meditated and there was no evidence of a struggle. There were two large gashes across her back and another deep cut, bareng her heart and intestines, beginning at the center of her breast running down sideways for several inches and another on one of her legs. The blood-stained knife is in the possession of the sheriff.

A coroner's jury was impaneled Tuesday afternoon and an inquest held, the jury bringing in a charge of murder in the first degree against Kamen, upon which charge he will be tried at the September term of circuit court.

Kamen came to this country about six years ago and has been in trouble several times.—Mio Telegram-News.

FORD ANNOUNCES IMPROVED LINE

BODIES LONGER, LOWER AND ALL-STEEL

Body changes and chassis refinements more pronounced than any made since the adoption of the Model T chassis were announced here today by the Ford Motor Company. There will be no advance in price, it also was stated.

Outstanding features of the improvements in both open and closed types are lower, all-steel bodies on a lower chassis, complete new design in most body types, a change from black to color in closed cars, larger lower fenders, newly designed seats and larger, more powerful brakes.

Longer lines effected thru higher radiation and re-designed cowl and bodies are apparent in the all improved Ford cars, but are especially pronounced in the open types. Wide crown fenders hung close to the wheels contribute to the general effect of lowness and smartness.

While Runabout and touring cars remain in black, the closed bodies are finished in harmonic color schemes, enhanced by nickel radiators. Coupe and Tudor bodies are finished in deep channel green while the Fordin is rich Windsor Maroon.

Greater comfort is provided for driver and passengers in both open and closed cars by larger compartments, more deeply cushioned seats and greater leg room.

Many new conveniences are also incorporated in the improved cars. In the Runabout, Touring car, Coupe and Tudor, the gasoline tank is under the cowl and filled through an ingeniously located filler cap completely hidden from sight by a cover similar in appearance to a cowel ventilator.

One-piece windshield, and narrowed pillars in the Tudor and Coupe offer the driver greatly increased visibility and improved ventilation.

Driving comfort is materially increased by lower seats, scientifically improved back rests, and lowered steering wheel. Clutch pedals are wider and more conveniently spaced.

Four doors are now provided on the Touring car and two on the Runabout permitting the driver to take his place from the left side of the car. Curtains, held secured by rods, open with the doors.

Most important in the mechanical changes are the improved brakes. The transmission brake drum and bands have been considerably increased in size which gives the foot softer and more positive action as well as longer life. The rear wheel brake drums are larger and the brake of self-energizing type.

Cord tires are now standard equipment on all Ford cars.

At the main offices of the Company it was stated Wednesday that the production of the new line is under way in all assembly plants of the company throughout the country and the improved cars are being sent to dealers for showing.

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COOLIDGE APPROVES DEBT SETTLEMENT

Interest on Belgian War Loans Canceled—Given 62 Years to Pay.

Northampton, Mass.—President Coolidge approved the Belgian debt settlement. The President's signature to the agreement leaves the next step, so far as the American government is concerned, up to Congress, which must ratify all settlements.

Washington.—Agreement for settlement of the Belgian debt to the United States was reached at a joint conference at the Treasury department between the Belgian and American debt commissions.

The Belgians were given separate treatments on their pre-armistice and post-war debts.

The full amount of the debt, under the lenient terms agreed upon by the American and Belgian commission, is \$417,900,000. But when Belgium makes her final payment at the end of sixty-two years, she will have paid \$727,780,000.

Because of Belgium's unique part in the war, the United States commission agreed to charge no interest on the pre-armistice debt of \$171,780,000. On the \$240,000,000 borrowed after the armistice for reconstruction work, she will pay 3½ per cent interest.

Payments of the principal on the pre-armistice debt will begin at once, not later than January 1, 1926. The Belgians will be given 62 years to pay off the debt.

The terms granted Belgium differ in many respects from those given to Great Britain. Accrued interest on the Belgian post-war debt was figured at 4½ per cent to December 15, 1922. From that date to June 15, 1925, it was figured at the rate of 3 per cent.

Members of both commissions were elated over the settlement. The agreement must be ratified by Congress and the Belgian parliament.

Andrews Confers With Enforcement Officers

Washington.—The biggest dry conference since the prohibition law became effective was held here when divisional chiefs and state directors from the whole country conferred for three hours with Assistant Secretary Andrews.

The conference was held behind closed doors. It is understood the entire enforcement situation was discussed and a program outlined for the coming year.

A college or university course is not universally essential. Much time and money may be wasted in attempting to inject higher education into individuals whose capacities and inclinations forbid it.

However, parents owe it to their children to equip them with the foundation for a fruitful career. Youth should not be allowed to pull into blind alleys; to put itself into unfavorable position for making the most of life. A skimped education is a handicap—it may be a sentence of failure.

The training of mind and body that our educational institutions give insures the boy and girl a fair start and imparts an incentive that stirs ambition and builds self-assurance. This confidence in itself frequently determines success.

A good education is an asset—a lack of it is a matter of regret.

When vacations are ended let "Back-to-School" be your slogan.

Supt. Smith announces that he will be in his office all day Monday, Sept. 7th to hear any conferences. At 1:30 o'clock on that afternoon there will be a teachers meeting and all teachers must be there.

"Faint heart never won fair lady" is old stuff. Possessed with a hip pocket flask, the average lounge lizard becomes a raging, roaring Romeo with more nerve than a bond salesman.

An increase of 11.5 per cent in all food articles was reported for the year ending July 15.

Retail Food Costs Up 3 Per Cent During July

Washington.—An increase of slightly more than 3 per cent in July was shown by the index figures of the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the Interior department made public here.

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Income Tax Fraud Costs Him \$685,000

New York.—The New York American says that Rudolph Valentino, original "sheik" of the screen, and his wife, Winifred de Wolfe, Valentino, have separated. The paper quotes George Ellman, manager for Mrs. Valentino, as describing an amicable arrangement for parting.

Rudolph Valentino and Wife Are Parted, Report

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Dr. Henry Wood Dies

Baltimore, Md.—A radio message to friends in Baltimore disclosed the death in Potsdam, Germany, of Dr. Henry Wood, who served as a professor at Johns Hopkins University.

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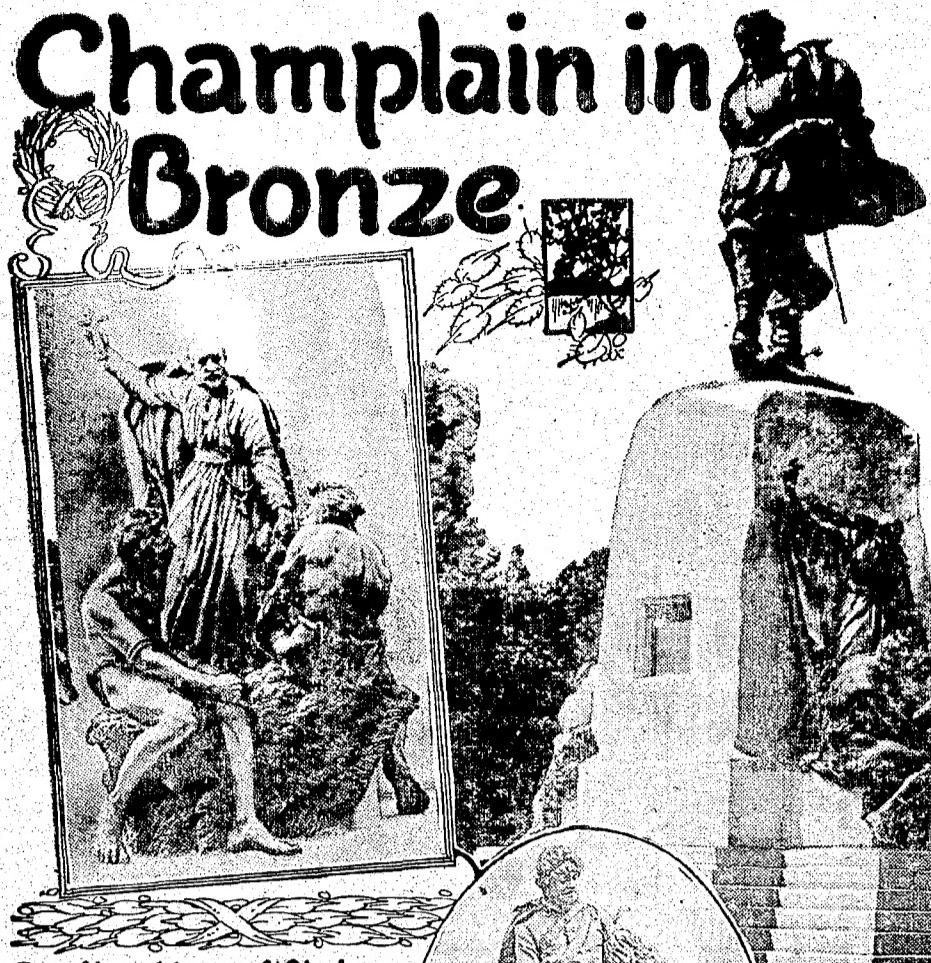
Back to School

This is the season of vacations but soon it will end and the question will arise in many family councils as to whether son or daughter is to continue in school or return to other labors. We use the expression 'other labors' feeling there is a sound reason for the belief that every child of high school age should have some manual task to perform side by side with the educational duties, not only to reveal the propensities of the individual but to create a wholesome respect for manual labor by Young America.

Parents at times err in letting age be the determining factor as to when a school career should terminate. Our compulsory attendance laws cannot be prophetic and have no magic power; the degree of training necessary to meet the probable future aims and interests of the individual child should form the basis for the decision.

Adolescents are often tempted by the romance of the world of business or by the desire to acquire more spending money to abandon the completion of their education. They lack the foresight to see that a premature entrance into the highly competitive fields of commerce can do them no good. They are in a period of rapidly changing ideals and there is little assurance that their own plannings of today will meet their needs tomorrow.

Mature natures must extend a directing hand. In our country the individual is largely ranked by his degree of leadership. We occupy positions at various steps of the ladder from the top rung to the lowest. A good education is today essential to a commanding place. It is because of this fact the Better-Schools league enlists parents to make every reasonable sacrifice to see that their children get the proper training; that they go thru the secondary schools by all means and a college or university if the interests and capabilities of the child warrant. We do not raise the question of financial interference for every graduating class of college and university is enriched by young men and women



Dedication of Statue to Great Explorer Marks 300th Anniversary of Coming of White Race to Ontario

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN

SAMUEL DE CHAMPLAIN in bronze to commemorate the three hundredth anniversary of the coming of the white race to Ontario. An heroic statue of the "Founder of New France" now graces the thriving little city of Orillia, 80 miles north of Toronto. The statue, the work of Vernon March, is 30 feet high and weighs 110 tons. It was unveiled on Dominion day by Rudolphe Lemieux, speaker of the house of commons of the Canadian parliament. The groups at the base of the monument respectively show the taking of Christianity to the Indians by the missionary priests and the trading of beads for furs by the *courreurs des bois*.

Apparently the Champlain statue commemorates a period rather than any specific event or date. Champlain ascended the St. Lawrence to Montreal in 1603 and founded Quebec in 1608. But it was not until 1615 that his trip of discovery to Georgian bay took him into what is now Ontario. Incidentally, Etienne Brûlé, to whom a memorial was not long ago dedicated at Sault Ste. Marie, may have discovered Lake Huron in 1610. By 1625, however, the white fur trader was in Ontario, the Recollects (Franciscans) had established missions and the Jesuits had been called to their aid.

The dedication of the Orillia memorial should really be regarded as an international affair. For the people on this side of the boundary line have abundant reason for being interested in Champlain. Suppose some loud-voiced person had forced his way to the front during the dedicatory exercises and shouted this, before being forcibly removed as a crazy man:

"What are you French Canadians doing here, applauding with all your might the 'Founder of New France'? Haven't you read any history at all? Don't you understand that Champlain is responsible for Canada's being British instead of French today?"

"And why are you British Canadians cheering the name of Champlain? Haven't you read enough history to know that because of him the 'Oregon country' was lost to Canada? And you Yankees—instead of looking on like mere outsiders, you ought to be parading around behind the Marine band of Washington, D. C., U. S. A., giving thanks to your great benefactor, Champlain!"

"Why, if Champlain, when he discovered Lake Champlain, hadn't used his arquebus on a band of Mohawks from the Iroquois Confederacy—"

Doubtless such remarks would have been inappropriate, to say the least, but could the speaker justly be called "crazy"? Let us read between the lines of history and see.

Champlain, it should be kept in

mind, was many kinds of a man. He was, among other things, royal geographer to Henri IV and in his eyes two great purposes eclipsed all others: To find a route to the Indies, and to convert the heathen Indians. In 1600 all the white man knew of New France was the St. Lawrence to the Lachine rapids (Rapids to China). So, when Indians told him of a large lake to the south (Lake Champlain) he set out to explore it.

Champlain carried his arquebus and took with him two French arquebusiers. His Indians were Montagnais, Hurons and Algonquins. They went up the River Richelieu in canoes. This river and Lake Champlain were the battlefield where, each summer for many generations, the Hurons and their allies and the tribes of the Iroquois Confederacy (Five Nations, later Six Nations) of New York had met in bloody conflict. Champlain agreed with his escort to assist in any battle with the Iroquois. July 30 Champlain's fleet met a Mohawk fleet on Lake Champlain. Both parties landed on the site of Ticonderoga and the battle began.

Champlain tells all about this battle in one of his books and furnishes a full-page picture of its beginning. He is shown advancing at the head of his Indians. He has just discharged his arquebus and brought down two chiefs and a warrior. The two arquebusiers to one side are in the act of firing.

Now the Mohawks knew nothing about gunpowder and guns. Panic seized them. They abandoned everything and fled into the forest. The victors returned home in triumph, only stopping at intervals to torture and burn their ten captives. And Champlain named the lake after himself.

In the summer of 1631 Christian Iroquois from a Jesuit mission in Canada visited the Flatheads in Montana and told them about the "Black Robes"—Jesuit priests. These Flatheads were uncontaminated by the white man—honest, peaceful and moral. Two Flatheads and two Nez Perces journeyed to St. Louis and asked Gen. William Clark to send them "Black Robes" to teach them to worship the white man's God. The "Black Robes" went to the Flatheads in 1840, headed by the famous Father de Smet.

This touching appeal of the flatheads, however, set in motion other forces. A chance sojourner in St. Louis "wrote up" these Indians for an eastern newspaper. The most immediate result was that in 1832 the Methodists of New England sent Jason Lee and Cyrus Shepherd to the Flatheads as preacher and teacher. Circumstances landed them in Oregon instead of Montana. In 1835 the Presbyterians sent Marcus Whitman and Samuel Parker. They, too, landed in Oregon, because of travel conditions through the wilderness.

The Oregon country at this time was in the practical control of the Hudson's Bay company. But both Lee and Whitman were men of affairs. They busied themselves with colonizing as well as with spreading the gospel and soon the American settlement of the Oregon country was well underway.

You know the rest: 1843, migration sets in over Oregon Trail and Oregon Americans outvote Britishers and adopt a provincial government.

1844, "Fifty-four Forty or Fight," victorious slogan in the Presidential election of Polk over Clay; 1846, Oregon treaty fixes the north line at forty-ninth parallel.

So, since Samuel de Champlain did fire his arquebus,

Relic of Pagan Days

Not everybody knows that every time he or she writes down the name of the day of the week, the name of a Pagan god or goddess is being perpetuated. When England passed under the sway of the Norsemen the people largely adopted the Norse system of gods, fitting them in to the nearest corresponding planet or deity of the Roman calendar. So the Day of Mars—the Roman god of war—turned into

Tree Centuries Old

In northern Utah, beside the Logan Canyon highway, is to be seen what is believed to be the oldest juniper tree in the world. Scientists state that the tree is not less than 3,000 years old. Its diameter, breast high, is seven feet six inches and the height is 42 feet. Only a few hundred years ago the tree was growing as rapidly as at any time during its life. A section of the heartwood shows that 200

Magnificent parrots peculiar to certain of the Lesser Antilles are threatened with extinction.

People might be more lawless if there were less law.

IGNITION TIMING VERY IMPORTANT

Gas Must Be Fully Ignited at Instant Crank Pin Passes Center

Correct ignition timing is very important, says William H. Stewart, Jr., president of the Stewart Automobile school. The charge of gas must be fully ignited at the instant the crank pin passes dead center. When this is done the full expansive force of the explosion is exerted on the piston and the best results are obtained. When the motor is turning over at the rate of 1,000 revolutions a minute the crank pin passes through top center much faster than when the motor is turning over at the rate of 500 revolutions per minute. Since it takes a certain amount of time for the charge of gas to become fully ignited it is necessary to introduce the spark into the cylinder a little in advance in order to fully ignite the charge by the time the crank pin passes dead center.

Volume of Spark

The faster the motor turns over the more advanced must be the spark. The volume of the spark is not changed by advancing or retarding, but simply the time of the spark in relation to position of the crank pin. When a motor is turning over very fast the spark may be advanced as much as 40 degrees; that is to say, the charge will begin to ignite 40 degrees before the crank pin reaches top center. As the speed of the motor is reduced the advance must be reduced, otherwise the force of the explosion will be exerted on the piston too soon and the tendency will be to reverse the direction of the crank shaft. When the spark is too far advanced a knock is noticeable. This is caused by the piston acting against the explosive force. The momentum of the flywheel carries the piston through the cycle; otherwise it would reverse.

Four Segments

The ignition distributor has four segments, one for each cylinder. The secondary finger "rotating clockwise" touches the segments in the order of 1, 2, 4, 3, which may be the firing order. Pistons No. 1 and No. 4 will be at top center and pistons No. 2 and No. 3 at bottom center. If piston No. 1 is up on compression and ready for ignition then piston No. 4 has just completed the exhaust and ready for the intake. Likewise piston No. 3 has just completed firing and piston No. 2 the intake.

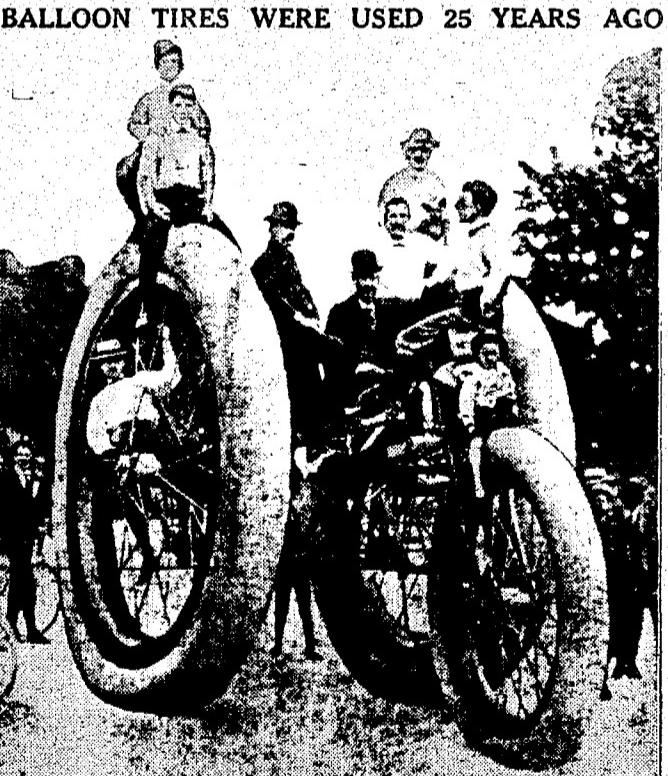
Body of Automobile Is Injured by Use of Hose

The commonly-used rubber hose is perhaps the best method of cleaning the lower portions of the car, such as wheels, running gear, and mud-guards. But it is positively injurious when used on the body and highly finished surfaces, says a writer in the American Motorist.

The force with which the stream of water impinges on the surface causes the sand and dirt adhering to the body to be driven into the varnish, destroying its brilliancy, and no amount of polishing and rubbing will restore original luster.

The body should be washed with lukewarm soap and water and immediately dried with a soft chamois. Many owners use a mixture of cylinder oil and kerosene which they apply on the body, rubbing it dry afterwards. Another scheme is to use a mixture of boiled linseed oil and turpentine applied sparingly and rubbed absolutely dry. The use of this polish will restore even an old car to a degree of splendor that will please the user.

BALLOON TIRES WERE USED 25 YEARS AGO



What were probably the forerunners of the modern balloon tires were the tires used on this huge tricycle in 1898. The tricycle traveled nicely in dry weather, propelled by six men on bicycle seats, all pedaling for dear life on a chain gear with one man at the steering wheel. But in wet weather it slid all over the street as nonskid chains were not made large enough to go around the wheels. The two larger wheels were 14 feet in diameter, and the small wheel in front was six feet in diameter. The large wheels took tires 20 inches in diameter.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES

Air-cooled engines require heavier oil than a water-cooled motor because of higher operating temperature.

If garage floors are not kept clean and the tires stand in a pool of oil, the treads soften and the traction strain in service stretches the rubber in wavy lines.

The largest automobile organization in the United States is said to be the

Knowledge of First Aid by Autoists Is Needed

That every man or woman who drives an auto should understand simple first aid methods, is the firm conviction of Dr. Herman Bundesen, Chicago health commissioner.

"Every year throughout the country, thousands of people unnecessarily lose their lives through automobile accidents, because those who could be of aid at the time of accident, become panicky and lose their heads when there is a cut artery," says Doctor Bundesen. "If they understood the simplest rudiments of first aid, a handkerchief and a pencil or ordinary stick of wood could be used as a tourniquet, thus stopping hemorrhage until medical help arrived."

"The autoist, especially, is in need of first aid knowledge. Whether in the city or en route, he should be provided with a compact first aid kit.

"The common injuries which occur through automobile accidents are cuts, fractures or broken bones, cuts and bruises. Many minor injuries, through neglect, prove fatal. Every wound, no matter how slight, should immediately be swabbed with iodine. Splints, used in case of fracture, will keep the limb at rest and relieve the patient of much pain until placed in the hands of the physician."

Smallest Automobile in Famous Brooklands Race



Great crowds of bank holiday vacationists witnessed the meeting at the Brooklands autodrome, England. Among the most interesting of the contesting cars was the single-cylinder Japette, shown above, the smallest car entered. It was second in the 75 m. p. hr. short handicap.

Importance of Magneto

Very Often Overlooked

The new car owner often worries about the electrical system of his car and is inclined to believe it is involved and liable to make trouble. As the spark is the life of the engine, he doesn't want anything to go wrong with the mechanism that generates it.

Few beginners realize how simple, yet how effective and free from trouble the magneto really is. There is only one wire to each spark plug and one to the switch. There are no "don'ts" and only one "do"—off it now and then. As the magneto current reverses automatically with every spark, there is no pitting of contact points. No current can be wasted when the engine is not running.

The magneto is dependable under all conditions of operation. Where the engine changes speed rapidly, as on hills, in traffic, or in quick getaways, the magneto takes care of all these changes without a constant "nursing" of the engine being necessary.

"But why don't you hear him before?"

"Just a notion. I sometimes pretend I'm hard of hearing and that my sight is poor. If I didn't pretend my sight was poor I should see a lot of things that hurt a woman's vanity, even if she is not madly in love with her husband. Now Mr. Hickett, as you can see with half an eye, is fond of other pretty women. There are two with him at the moment. I don't care to go into the water with him, for he is un gallant enough to pay more attention to others than he does to me. And at the dances he always ignores me as long as there is another slightly woman to be had. Perhaps these aberrations, as I may call them, are because he is married to me. Besides, if he sees me even talking to a good-looking fellow like you—especially to a bachelor, for bachelors, he says, have neither obligations nor consciences—he rages. But let's go down and I'll introduce you."

As Mrs. Hickett and Mr. Henderson walked slowly to the shore he spoke rapidly in low tones to her, but she simply laughed. Mr. Hickett apparently misconstrued her joyousness, for he frowned as they approached.

"I'll introduce you first," said Mrs. Hickett, "to a woman I'm sure you'll be delighted to meet. She tells me she has traveled far within a year looking for a husband."

And thus Henderson unexpectedly met Mrs. Henderson, from whom he had spent a year in flight.

Slants on Life

By J. A. WALDRON

The Unexpected

"YOU here? Well! This surprise is joyous!" He beamed upon her.

"Joyous!"

"Perfectly rapturous!"

"What enthusiasm! When did you arrive?"

"An hour ago. But was I not always enthusiastic where you were concerned?"

"You were enthusiastic, I remember, when you suddenly disappeared from New York." She cast down her eyes, but she still wore a smile. "Where have you been?"

"Just got back from South America. But my enthusiasm has returned with me." He looked at her ardently.

"Do you imagine you are the only man in whom I have seen enthusiasm?"

"Naturally not. Men have even and other senses. You are more attractive than ever."

"They had met at Redondo Beach, on the Pacific. She looked at him and still smiled, but with a certain air of reservation. "And yet you went away without a word to me, and for a year I have not heard from you, Mr. Henderson."

"Plain mister, eh?"

"Quite proper, isn't it? Things have happened since I saw you." She fingered a miniature pendant upon a chain at her throat. He peered at it.

"A man's portrait. Whose?"

"My husband's. Let me introduce you to Mrs. Hickett. Delighted to meet you, Mr. Henderson, in my new character. I know you are pleased to see me again, for you have said it with lovely adjectives."

"Miriam!"

Her name was shouted from the verge of the sea below them. Henderson looked for the source of the



A Problem

A citizen of the Rumpus Ridge neighborhood, going homeward from town, beheld sitting on the ground by the side of the road and musing in the dirt with sticks, a couple of well-known residents of the region.

"Howdy, gents!" he saluted. "It's a fair question, what 'pears' to be coming off?"

"Me and Newt, yur, swapped horses this afternoon," replied one, "and ever since then we've been trying to figure out how both of us could be stuck at the same time."—Kansas City Star.

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Many letters have been received from women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after operations have been advised.

Mechanical Brains*

Two different types of "mechanical brains"—machines that perform the most complicated mathematical problems automatically—recently have been perfected separately by two young inventors, Frank P. Gage of Boston, Mass., and Stuart C. Dodd, a graduate student of Princeton university. Both machines are expected to prove of great importance in psychological and educational research and in industrial statistical work. They are said to complete, within an hour or so, problems that usually require many hours or even days.—Popular Science Monthly.



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MY FAVORITE STORIES

By IRVIN S. COBB

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Absolutely Replete With Thrills

When Opie Read, the writer, was a printer down in Tennessee many years ago he worked on a small weekly paper and boarded with the keeper of a small general store.

"My host," said Read to me, "was the most inveterate checker player in the state, and his wife was the best cook that ever lived in any state. The house was right next to the store and the place where I worked was just across the road. One day the dinner horn blew, and I broke for the store to pick up the old man and hustle for the table. I was as hungry as a bear, and as I came across the road I could smell fried chicken and other good things; and I fairly dribbled at the mouth."

"The husband was sitting at the back of the store playing checkers with another old chap. These two

were the checker champions of the county. I told him dinner was ready and begged him to come on, because I knew his wife wouldn't put the dishes on the table until he showed up; but he was right in the middle of a close game and he only shook his head.

"I stood there waiting, getting hungrier and hungrier every minute, and madder and madder! That dinner was bound either to scorch or get cold—and maybe both; but there sat that old pair of fossils silent as mummies and still as the grave. Neither of them moved an inch for fifteen minutes. Finally my host scratched his head for a couple of minutes—it seemed hours to me—reached over deliberately, picked up a counter, held it poised in the air for another minute and then put it back in its original place and said, half to himself, 'Well, this is exciting!'

"It was at this juncture," said Read, "that I hauled off and kicked his blamed old checkerboard clear out of the front door!"

One Little Yea Among the Noes

During the Republican National convention of 1920 the leaders behind the scenes, fearing Senator Hiram Johnson might kick over the traces in the event of the nomination of a Presidential candidate dispensing to him, repeatedly made overtures to the Californian to take the second place on the ticket. Invariably Johnson declined the proposition. Toward the last he showed signs of temper.

At this critical period the stage managers invoked the offices of Col. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., as an intermediary. They counted on the friendship which had existed between Johnson and young Roosevelt's father. Johnson was as briskly emphatic in stating his position to young Colonel Roosevelt as he had been in his language to earlier envoys.

Nevertheless, right up to the eleventh hour the bosses trusted that Johnson might be induced to change his mind. Three of us, all newspaper correspondents, were in Johnson's room at the Blackstone hotel in Chicago on the night before the ticket was named, when Johnson's secretary came to say that Colonel Roosevelt was on the telephone, desiring to speak with him. Johnson took down the receiver, and we heard him say this, with pauses between words: "No—no—no—no—yes—no—NO!"

When Senator Johnson had hung up the receiver and returned to his seat, one of those present said: "Senator, I'm curious to know what the question from Colonel Roosevelt was which caused you to reply in the affirmative when all your other answers were such positive nos."

Johnson's eyes twinkled.

"That," he said, "was when the young man asked me if I could hear distinctly what he was saying."

The Value of a Good Memory

When Rhinelander Waldo was re-commissioned as New York and when Edward Croker was fire chief, Croker volunteered one day to take Waldo for a ride down Broadway in his famous ninety-horse-power red automobile, which he used when going to fires. Waldo's secretary, "Winnie" Sheehan, who's now a movie mug-nut, went along, too.

Waldo owned a number of brisk-moving cars himself and thought he knew something about speed, but he had never traveled with Croker. They sped down Broadway at a terrifying pace, shaving trolley cars, slicing carstones and avoiding collisions with trucks, by quarter-inch margins.

At Canal street a block compelled Croker to slow down. Instantly Waldo jumped out of the car and, muttering something about having forgotten something, dived into the nearest building. About then, Croker decided to call up fire headquarters and he, too, went away temporarily, leaving his dare-devil chauffeur and the yet breathless Sheehan in the machine. Croker returned to find only the chauffeur.

"Mr. Sheehan said for you to go ahead and have your ride out," stated the chauffeur. "He said he'd just remembered the same thing that Mr. Waldo did."

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New York Canoeists

Expect Swedish Defi

The New York Canoe club, located in the old Garrison Inn, at Fort Totten, is expecting a challenge for the International Challenge cup from the Canoe Club of Sweden. A series of races will probably be held in New York waters in August. The clubs of the United States will be asked to participate in a series of races to determine the fastest decked sailing canoe and the best sailorman to defend the trophy. It has been successfully defended since 1865 against English and Canadian challengers.

Roy Leubbe, a product of the Omaha sandlots, who has been sold to the New York Yankees for a sum reported to be \$12,500. He is a catcher and hard hitter.

This is one of the common-sense modifications of the rules adopted to speed up the game.

ONE-BASE HITS

BY JACK SIMPSON

Returning to Bases.

The rule of requiring baserunners to return to base they originally held on foul balls seems to perplex many players, although it is very simple.

Players are supposed to return to their bases without liability of being put out on all foul balls and play cannot be resumed until they have touched the base and pitcher is in his position. This rule has been modified by umpires due to the fact that it slows the game and play is automatically resumed when the pitcher is in his box. If the player is attempting to return to base and comes within a few feet of it when the pitcher starts his motion to pitch to the batsman the player need not proceed, as play was resumed.

If the baserunner was forced to return and actually touch the base the pitcher would be working at an advantage over the runner, as the latter could not get a lead from the base before the ball was on its way to the plate.

The wise pitcher sees that the base

runner has returned to within a step or two of the base before he pitches the ball, thereby releasing the runner of obligation to touch the base especially if the umpire has called "play."

Miss Helen Jacobs, California tennis star, who is destined, experts say, to reach heights as great as Miss Helen Wills, the national champion, is shown in the picture made at Skokie, near Chicago. She comes from Miss Wills' town, Berkeley.

Girl Swimming Star



ADRIENNE GIBSON, fifteen-year-old swimming star of the Pacific coast holder of the junior 220-yard swimming title. She resides in Alameda.

AROUND THE DIAMOND

New Haven has sold Shortstop Jesse Turner to Bridgeport.

Pitcher Bert Grimm, released by Peoria, immediately hooked up with Quincy.

Cleveland is reported to be trying to obtain Dinty Gearin, little left-hander, from Milwaukee.

The Robins have picked up another member of the Brown family. Raymond Brown, a right-handed pitcher, is getting a trial.

Flint has purchased Ernie Calvert from Saginaw to fill the vacancy caused by the sale of John to the Chicago Nationals.

Gautreau of the Braves is one of the smallest men in the major leagues. Even the familiar Maranville looks quite tall beside Gautreau.

The 24-inning game in which Philadelphia beat Boston 4 to 1, on September 1, 1906, was the longest game ever played in the American league.

The sale of Henri Rondeau, outfielder, to the Hartford club of the Eastern league is announced by the Little Rock Southern association club.

The Braves have returned Abe Hood to the Portsmouth club of the Virginia league. Doc Gautreau, the second-base job.

Outfielder Clabaugh, who has been setting the pace in the league with the bat, and who collected 24 home runs, has been sold by Paris to DeCATUR of the Three-I League.

Jack Stansbury, veteran infielder, and Anthony Murray, recruit outfielder, were released by Beaumont. Stansbury immediately hooked on with Shreveport.

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Shorel Hodge, a pitcher released by both Scranton and York, has been signed by Elmira.

Connie Mack lost the services of Sammy Hale for a stretch when the latter injured an ankle in St. Louis.

Eddie Lewis, pee-wee outfielder, has been obtained by Chattanooga via the waiver route from Nashville.

Beaumont has signed Catcher Mancuso, formerly with Longview of the East Texas league.

Hartford has signed Bill James, left-handed pitcher, who was recently released by Albany.

Waterbury has obtained Dave Keefe, right-hand pitcher, from Portland of the Pacific Coast league.

Little Rock has signed E. K. Walker, former Vanderbilt university pitcher, while Claude Heath has been given his release.

President Jacob Ruppert, in speaking a rumor that Miller Huggins was to be succeeded as manager of the Yankees, said: "Huggins will be manager as long as he cares to be."

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Wrestling as practiced by the Japanese, is said to have started in 23 B.C. The contestants are gross, beefy and strong. They use some 200 tricks in throwing, entangling, twisting and lifting.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1925.

THE PRESENT CRIME WAVE

Law abiding citizens of this country are becoming alarmed over the wave of lawlessness that has swept over the country in recent years. At its inception we were rather inclined to attribute it to the effects of the World war, but nearly seven years have passed since the close of that struggle and we find that instead of abating, crime is on the increase.

One outstanding reason for this condition is the coddling manner in which we treat the criminal classes. They have reached that point where they no longer fear the law, knowing that the punishment will not be made to fit the enormity of their crimes and that if proper sob sentiment can be manufactured in their behalf they are more than likely to go free.

We do not need any crime commission in this country to deal with this problem, but what we do need is to meet crime with such drastic measures that it will deter the young men of this nation from seeking a life of crime under the impression that it offers a life of ease without much danger of swift apprehension and punishment.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fehr spent Sunday in Johannesburg.

Mrs. Hattie Bissonette entertained Mrs. A. Langlos and son Lester of Pinconning Saturday.

Miss Ann Walton who has been the guest of her sister Mrs. C. R. Keyport has returned to Detroit.

Mrs. Clyde Peterson and daughter Kathryn of Saginaw, who are spending the summer visiting relatives in this county, have returned to Grayling after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hemming Peterson of Maple Forest, and are guests of her brother Hans L. Peterson and family.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Feldhauser (Christine Peterson) of Fredonia on August 20th a son.

There will be a regular meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 83 on Wednesday evening Sept. 2.

Mrs. Louis Kesseler and daughter Margaret spent last week visiting her sister Mrs. Cote in Midland.

Endicott-Johnson shoes are better shoes for the money. For sale at Olson's.

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McDonnell Poultry Farm,

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Wheeler and daughter of Grand Rapids are visiting at the home of Delbert Wheeler.

Mrs. Ralph E. Routier and son Ralph of Detroit are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Baum.

Mrs. Leah Kidston and daughter were called to Pinconning Sunday owing to the illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson have as their guest the latter's brother Thomas Schaeffer of Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Miss Edith Olstrom, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Charles Adams, left Wednesday of last week for Los Angeles, Calif., to make her home with another sister Mrs. Adams accompanied her on the trip and will return in a short time.

Miss Loretta Sorenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson celebrated her 12th birthday last Friday afternoon by entertaining a number of her friends. The afternoon was spent playing games and Mrs. Sorenson served a delicious lunch. All reported a fine time at Loretta's party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Black of Highland Park announce the marriage of their daughter Oda M. to Donald E. Herrick of Highland Park, Michigan, at South Ste. Marie, Aug. 18th, 1925. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Herrick of this city and has many friends who extend congratulations and best wishes.

Mr. Leo White of Adrian has purchased the local interests of the M. & N. E. Railroad Co., consisting of the depot building, round house, bunk house, work sheds, water tank and 35 acres of land. The roundhouse, bunk house, work sheds and water tank will be dismantled very soon and the timber offered for sale. Mr. White says he hasn't decided just what disposition he will make of the brick depot building. He may decide, he said, to turn it into a storage warehouse or possibly establish some kind of industry there.

Goodyear-Welt army shoes with composition soles at Olson's at \$4.00 per pair.

Rosen Rye for sale. Inquire of E. P. Richardson, Roscommon, Mich. 8-27-2

Mrs. Charles Hewitt and little son of Bay City are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher.

Mrs. Frank Michelson of Detroit, who is sojourning at Houghton Lake, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Michelson at Lake Margrethe.

Have you seen the New Ajax—Nash-Built. On display at the Nash Garage. Ask for demonstration. T. E. Douglas. Phone 501.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster are happy over the arrival of a son at their home August 19. His name is Richard Livingston.

Place wanted for boy of 14 to work for board and go to school. Inquire of Hugo Schraiber, Roscommon, Mich., Route 1, or leave information at Avalanche office.

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Miss Edith Olstrom, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Charles Adams, left Wednesday of last week for Los Angeles, Calif., to make her home with another sister Mrs. Adams accompanied her on the trip and will return in a short time.

Miss Loretta Sorenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson celebrated her 12th birthday last Friday afternoon by entertaining a number of her friends. The afternoon was spent playing games and Mrs. Sorenson served a delicious lunch. All reported a fine time at Loretta's party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Black of Highland Park announce the marriage of their daughter Oda M. to Donald E. Herrick of Highland Park, Michigan, at South Ste. Marie, Aug. 18th, 1925. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Herrick of this city and has many friends who extend congratulations and best wishes.

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LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1925.

If you have sore feet or sore corns, call at Olson's Shoe Store.

Russell Dunham left Saturday for West Branch to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Milnes motored to Clare Sunday to visit the latter's parents.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gierke, Thursday, August 20th.

Miss Margaret Gendron of Flint is enjoying a two weeks' vacation at her home here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Larson and children of Johannesburg are resorting at Lake Margrethe.

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McDonnell Poultry Farm.

Miss Margaret Phelps arrived here Tuesday from Detroit and is the guest of Miss Francelia Failing.

Claude Bissonette was dismissed from Mercy hospital Monday, after being a patient there a few days.

Mrs. A. Hermann and family moved into the Mrs. McKone house on Park street this week from Cedar street.

Aubrey Blaine and Russell Vailad who have been employed in Lansing for some time have returned home.

Mrs. Thomas Bugby of Pinconning spent the weekend visiting at the Eggie Bugby and Frank May homes.

The Free Methodist Sunday school will hold their picnic at Connine's Grove, Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Scow, old residents of Grayling are making preparations to leave soon for Denmark.

Master Robert Funk returned Tuesday from Ann Arbor where he underwent a successful mastoid operation.

Mrs. Hattie Bissonette and son Ernest spent Sunday visiting the former's brother J. H. Bedore of Wolverine.

Sven Berndt of Detroit is enjoying a vacation visiting old friends at Johannesburg, Houghton Lake and Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Mrs. Patrick Finerty of West Branch spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Bradley and children of Royal Oak are visiting Mrs. Bradley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tromble.

Charles Dougherty returned to his home in AuGres Friday after spending the summer visiting his brother Ellis Dougherty.

Mrs. Chas. Biske and daughter Lillian, who had been visiting the Ziebell family in Grayling returned to Detroit Saturday night.

Gerald Powell, who has been the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. William Powell at Lake Margrethe has returned to Detroit.

Andrew Hart, county register of deeds, returned Monday from a visit at Howell, having taken his annual vacation from his duties.

Mr. and Mrs. William Golden who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCullough returned to their home in Mishawaka, Ind. Monday.

Dance tonight with Schram's orchestra at Ra-Walla pavilion, Houghton Lake. A five dollar prize will be given away during the evening.

Mrs. Charles B. Johnson, Mrs. Elmer Johnson and Miss Helen Johnson motored to Manistee Sunday, where they are spending a few days.

Harold Millard of Flint spent a few days visiting his wife and children at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Simon on Sivrais. All returned to Flint Tuesday.

The Womans Missionary society of the Free Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Arnold Johnson next Tuesday afternoon, Sept 1st, at 1:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary Pond of Bay City and Mrs. Emma Doyle and grandson Bernard Stephan of Kalamazoo were the guests of Mrs. Harry Pond the latter part of the week.

Mrs. C. T. Kerr accidentally fell down stairs at their cottage at Lake Margrethe Friday night severely bruising herself. She is getting along nicely. No bones were broken.

Miss Marion Hanson's 9th birthday anniversary was a happy one when she entertained ten of her young friends in honor of the event. The children played games and had a jolly time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bingham of Detroit were guests over the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Bingham formerly resided in Grayling and enjoyed meeting their former friends.

Miss Fedora Montour of Mercy Hospital training school is enjoying a vacation, leaving Tuesday for Grand Rapids to spend part of the time. She will also visit in Detroit, Bay City and other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rasmussen and family are enjoying their fine new cottage that was recently completed at the Danish Landing, Lake Margrethe. It consists of five large rooms and has an 8x26 foot screened-in porch.

Mrs. John Isenbauer is enjoying a visit from her sister Mrs. Goulett of Kitchener, Ont. Also Mrs. Mary Waldhauer and Miss Bessie Newman, who had been visiting at the Isenbauer home, returned to Bay City Saturday.

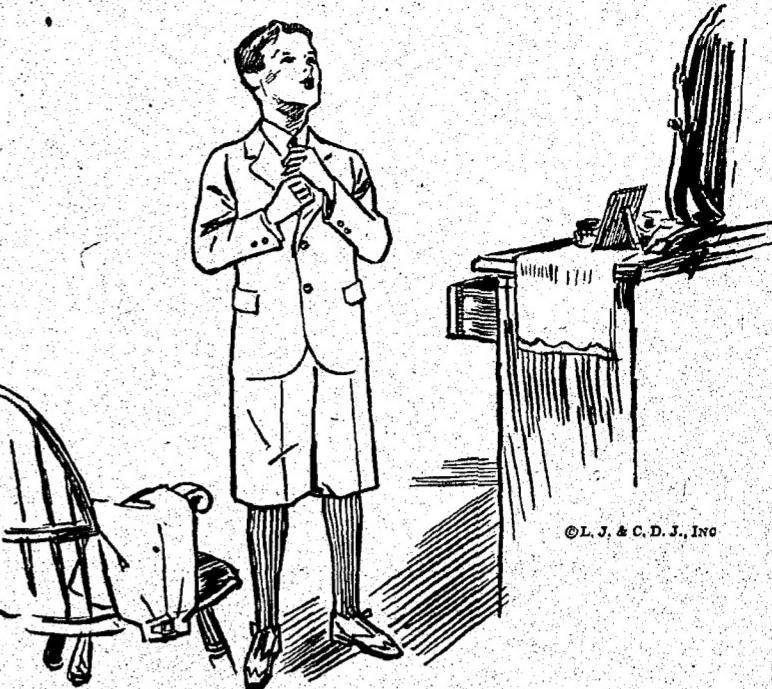
Miss Margaret Nelson resumed her duties at the Bank Tuesday, after being absent for ten days owing to illness. Miss Ingeborg Hanson of Detroit, who is spending the summer here assisted in the bank during her absence.

Little Miss Lillian Landsberg was a charming little hostess to 15 of her young friends Thursday afternoon in honor of her sixth birthday. The little guests were royally entertained and enjoyed delicious refreshments served by Mrs. Landsberg.

Miss Beatrice Cottle of Rudyard, Mich., was in the city last week looking up a place to room and board. She is one of the newly engaged teachers. Also on Monday Miss Leonard of Gladwin was here for the same purpose.

When School Starts

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Miss Viva Hoessli, a member of this year's class of Grayling High school, left Monday night for Owosso, where the last of this month she will enter the training school for nurses at Memorial hospital. She will visit over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Forest Barber at Durand.

To members of the Primary department of the Michelson Memorial Sunday school: Remember that next Sunday, August 30 is the day when the attendance cards are given out, its being the last Sunday of the month. The teachers will be pleased to see many present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Creque, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cochran of Flint spent last week as guests of the former's father E. W. Creque at his cabin on the Main stream of the AuSable. They also spent a couple of days visiting Mrs. Creque's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen.

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Among those from Grayling who took in the excursion to the metropolis--Detroit, to spend Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell, Mrs. Bert Chappel and son, James Armstrong, Mrs. Elf Rasmussen, Misses Helga Jorgenson, Agnes Hanson, Mildred Sherman; Ernest Jorgenson, Leo Morency, Lydia Merry, Elmer Johnson, Fred Hoessli.

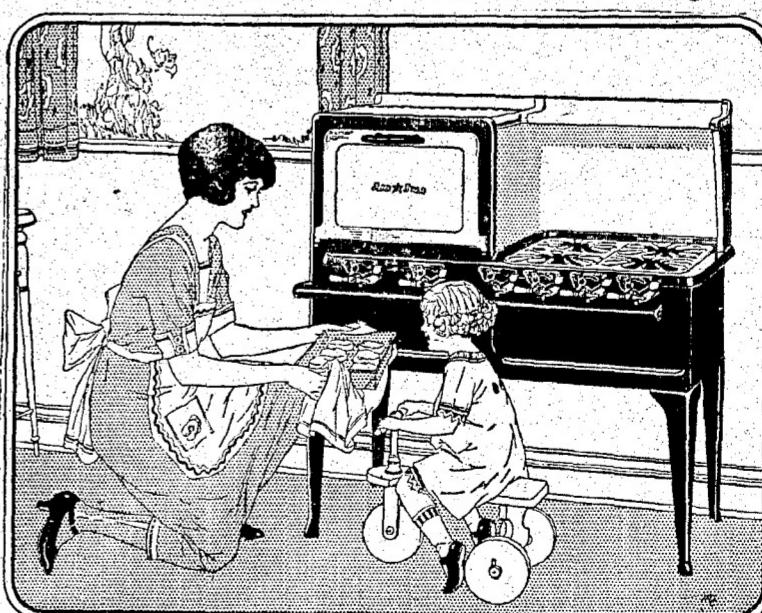
Mrs. Roy Billings and son of Bay City, who are among the many guests that have been entertained at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Englund this summer returned home Saturday. All summer long each season Mr. and Mrs. Englund have a crowd of visitors, who enjoy the general hospitality of their summer cottage on the Danish Landing at Lake Margrethe.

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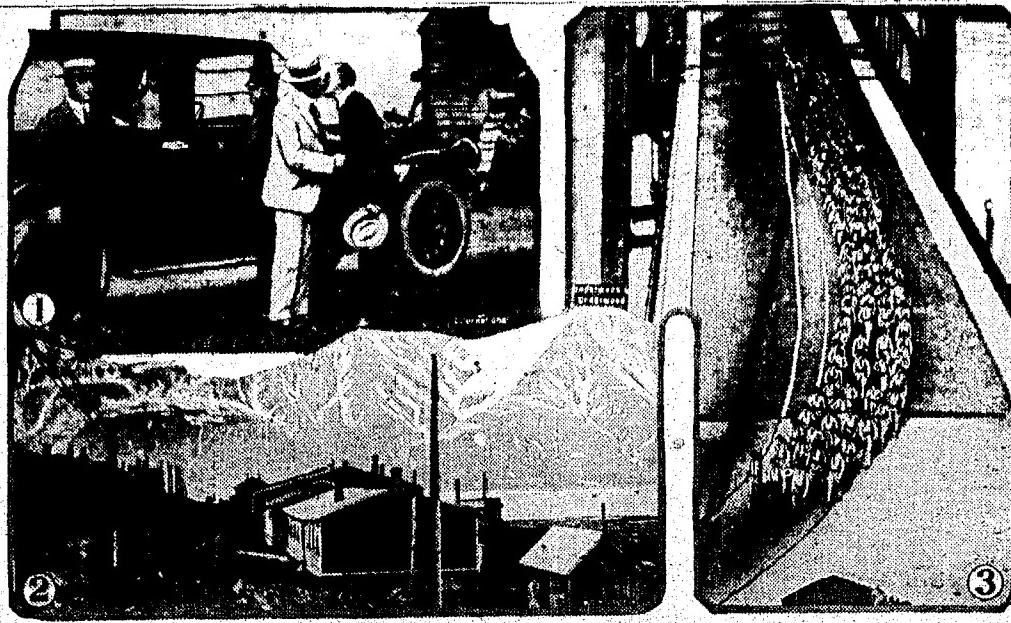
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1—President Coolidge greeting his father on arrival at Plymouth, Vt., for a week's visit. 2—View of Ad-
vant Bay, Spitzbergen, where were held celebrations of the formal annexation of the island by Norway in ac-
cordance with international treaty. 3—Plebes of fourth class men of West Point marching across the Hudson
for a week of field work.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Settlement of Belgian Debt Shows Leniency on Part of the United States.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

PROVIDED congress is satisfied—and there is no reason to believe it will not be—the funding of Belgium's debt to the United States has been arranged. The agreement was signed by the members of the two commissions last week at a dinner given at the Belgian embassy by Ambassador Baron de Cartier de Marchenne. It is in accord with the advice given by President Coolidge when Secretary Mellon and Senator Smoot conferred with him, and the Brussels government authorized its representatives to accept it.

Belgium is highly pleased with the arrangement and should be. In the first place, a distinction is made between the obligations incurred during the war and the sums borrowed after the armistice for purposes of relief work and reconstruction. The principal is all to be paid in a period of 62 years, but on the war debt of \$171,780,000 Belgium is not required to pay any interest, either accrued or in the future. The interest rate on the post-war debt is to be 3½ per cent after the first ten years. During the first decade arbitrary amounts have been fixed on the interest payments, gradually on an easy scale.

On the war debt account the first payment of capital, which will be due June 15, 1926, will be only \$1,000,000, increasing gradually until it reaches \$2,900,000 in 1932, the same amount to be paid each succeeding year until 1987. Then a final payment of \$2,280,000 will be made.

For the first year on the post-war debt the principal and interest payment will be \$2,840,000, increasing somewhat each year to the eleventh year, when it will be \$9,772,000. The annual payment each year thereafter for 51 years, or until 1987, will be approximately this amount—a little under \$10,000,000 a year.

The Belgian debt has hitherto been regarded as totaling about \$480,000,000, including accrued interest at a rate of 4½ per cent. The settlement, however, fixes the actual amount at \$417,780,000, as of June 15, 1925.

The American commission refused to accept Belgium's claim that the war debt should be shifted in any way to Germany, but explained the easy terms granted by saying that "while no legal obligation rests upon the United States in the matter, there does continue a weighty moral obligation as a result of assurances given which entirely differentiates this sum from all other debts due the United States from foreign countries. The allusion, of course, is to President Wilson's assurance that the German government would be substituted for Belgium as the debtor for the pre-armistice debts."

FRANCE naturally was immensely interested in the Belgian debt settlement and regarded it as a happy augury and as proof that America was ready to make generous concessions in the matter of the French obligations. Finance Minister Caillaux, declaring: "The future of European civilization depends on an immediate solution of the war debts," announced that the French mission headed by Senator Berenger would come to Washington in September and that he would follow it and hoped a funding agreement might be reached early in October. Meanwhile he went on Saturday to London for another conference with the English, expecting to bring about a rapid agreement regarding France's obligations to Great Britain.

Italy, too, was cheered by the Belgian settlement, hoping for similar and perhaps better terms when Ambassador de Martino returns to Washington and the parleys are resumed. The newspapers in Rome are presenting figures to show that Italy is receiving \$80 per capita on her reparations account and the national wealth is only \$530 per capita, while Belgium receives from Germany \$324 per capita

then along the route native characters and English words denote distances from various camps and villages. The important cannery towns of Togiak and Nushagak are situated along this unusually desolate region of the Iliamna lake district.

The trail is marked for its entire length by posts made of willow trees, sunk deep into the ground. Nearly every post has sprouted out and grown into a large tree. Every now and

then the national wealth of Belgium is \$1,377 per capita. The conclusion is drawn that Italy should receive proportionately better terms.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE spent nearly a week at Plymouth, Vt., visiting his father and enjoying the only real rest he has had since his vacation began. On Thursday he reluctantly started back to Swanscott by motor, stopping overnight at Northampton, Mass., with Mrs. Elvira Goodhue, mother of Mrs. Coolidge. Friday afternoon the President received Senator Edge of New Jersey and State Senator Whitney, the Republican gubernatorial nominee.

BESESIDES the matter of the Belgian debt agreement, the President had one important conference while at Plymouth. It was about the proposed reduction of federal taxes, and those who talked it over with Mr. Coolidge were Secretary Mellon, Senator Smoot, chairman of the finance committee, and Representative Tillson of Connecticut, Republican floor leader of the house. They assured him that before payment for this year are due on March 15 next, congress will have made substantial reductions in federal income taxes. No definite figure could be proposed yet, because the treasury surplus and amount of the government budget are yet unknown, but the belief was expressed that a cut of at least \$300,000,000 could be made.

Both Senator Smoot and Representative Tillson favor cutting the maximum surtax on incomes of \$12,000 and more from 40 per cent to 20 per cent, or to 15 per cent if conditions warrant. They also favor making the normal tax on incomes of \$4,000 less 1 per cent instead of 2; 3 per cent instead of 4 for incomes between \$4,000 and \$8,000, and 5 instead of 6 per cent on incomes over \$8,000.

Mr. Mellon feels that the financial condition of the government will permit of a reduction of the surtaxes to 25 per cent, and the cutting down of the normal taxes proportionately, with the lowest normal reduction from 2 to 1 per cent. He favors the federal government abandoning the inheritance taxes, but remarked that he could not attempt to say how far the general tax reduction program could go.

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WITH two of its three navy planes out of commission and unusually severe weather prevailing, the Macmillan expedition has abandoned for this year any exploration of the polar seas by air. Instead the party will devote its efforts to the exploring of Norse ruins in Greenland and Labrador and to a survey of Baffin Island.

In sending word of his change of plans to Washington by radio, Commander Macmillan gave high praise to the navy flyers with him for their efforts to overcome insurmountable obstacles. In flying over Ellesmere Island these aviators traversed a vast stretch of uncharted country and high mountain ranges never before seen by man.

PRESUMABLY with the aid and support of the Turks and the Egyptian nationalists, the Senussi tribesmen in North Africa have risen against the Italian rule in Tripoli and Cyrenaica. Led by Sheik Ahmed, they waylaid and massacred a column of Italian troops south of Benghazi and occupied the main caravan route between Tripoli and Egypt. The Senussi, great body of austere religious Mohammedans, are good fighters and are well armed.

Marshal Petain has been sent to Morocco as supreme commander of the French forces and is directing the vigorous offensive which is driving the troops of Abd-el-Krim back northward to the Atlas mountains. In the Ouedzaz region, where the French and Spanish armies are co-operating, wholesale subversion of rebels is announced. Spain and France have called off all peace negotiations with the Rif chieftain as he failed to send any representative to Melilla.

MAX MASON, professor of mathematical physics in the University of Wisconsin, has been elected president of the University of Chicago to succeed the late Dr. Ernest De Witt Burton. The board of trustees has followed the recent example of other similar boards in selecting a comparatively young man, for Doctor Mason is

somewhat after the poll tax system. Each summer any native traveling along the route was expected to set as many willow posts as possible. Often for small offenses natives were forced to set willow posts.

When the snow lies deep the dog sledges are always certain of the location by the silver-coated willow branches and the leader dogs instinctively know that to follow the tree-lined trail means a sure and swift end of the journey.

Michigan Happenings

Superior Judge Leonard D. Verdi, of Grand Rapids, in a communication directed to Governor Groesbeck, asked that definite machinery be established in order that fine, imposed upon a prisoner in addition to a state's prison sentence, may be collected or the prisoner be required to serve the additional period specified for its non-payment. Judge Verdi pointed out that Kent county, and possibly other counties have been losing considerable money because prisoners sentenced to state penal institutions have been paroled without being required to pay the fines imposed in addition to their prison terms.

By a majority of 5,082 Joseph S. Hopper, of Battle Creek, the Republican candidate, was elected to Congress from the Third District over Claude S. Carney, of Kalamazoo, his Democratic opponent, in the recent special election. Hopper will serve out the unexpired term of the late Rep. Arthur B. Williams, of Battle Creek, who died in Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, last April. Hopper received 14,884 votes to Carney's 9,852.

Likelihood of annexation of Sylvan Lake village to Pontiac has practically disappeared with the development of opposition among citizens of the village to any such attempt on the ground that no immediate benefits would result. In a mass meeting held in the village to discuss it, only one citizen spoke in favor of annexation. City Manager Ham and Mayor Rockwell, discussed the matter from the city's viewpoint.

The entire board of supervisors of Manistee, was censured for laxity in the financial affairs of the county and a recommendation was made for a thorough audit of the accounts of Justice August Greve, Sr., during the last 10 years and the shortage of Arnold T. Graves, former county treasurer, was placed at \$4,590 by State auditors who investigated the county offices.

VICTOR F. LAWSON, editor and publisher of the Chicago Daily News and for many years one of the leading newspaper men of America, died on Wednesday of heart disease after an illness of three days. He was born in Chicago 75 years ago, the son of Norwegian immigrants. After working with his father on a Scandinavian paper there, he bought an interest in the newly established Daily News. Later he acquired Melville E. Stone's share and built the News up into one of the most valuable newspaper properties in the country. He was one of the founders of the Associated Press and always was prominent in its management.

Chemists working under the supervision of the State Department of Health have obtained 210 samples of the water in wells, streams and springs in the state in their efforts to protect tourists from impure drinking water. Signs have been posted in conspicuous places advising the tourist that the water to be found is pure or unwholesome as the case may be.

Members of the Monroe County Farm Bureau association and county grange held their annual outing at Dewey's beach along Lake Erie, five miles north of there. C. L. Burton, county agent, was the general overseer. Various athletic games were enjoyed. Louise Campbell, director of home economics of the M. S. C., addressed the women on nutrition to resuscitate her.

Work of constructing the new 32-foot wall around Jackson prison is nearly finished with exception of removing concrete forms, and work on a new cell block will start soon. The new cell block will accommodate 2,500 prisoners. A temporary structure which will eventually be built into another cell block, is to be constructed as a dining room and kitchen unit.

Fire practically destroyed the finishing building at the Michigan State Prison cement plant at Chelsea with a loss estimated at \$35,000 by Warden Harry H. Jackson. The blaze, believed to have started from hot juncals in the sacking department and to have spread to the oil bunkers, enveloping the roof of the structure in a mass of flames.

John C. Kendel, of Denver, Colo., has been appointed state supervisor of music to succeed John W. Beattie, resigned. Kendel will take over the duties of his office about September 1. He assumes directorship of music instruction of the state schools after several years as director of music in the Denver city schools.

The sand and gravel barge Penobscot was destroyed by fire in St. Clair River a few miles south of Marine City. The fire started in a forward compartment near the hoisting machinery and spread rapidly. The crew had no difficulty in reaching shore. The charred hull sank in 25 feet of water.

Bus lines will be in operation Oct. 1 over virtually all routes now covered by electric lines, officials of the Michigan Electric Railway Co. announced. The bus service will include routes between Lansing and Jackson, Flint and Bay City, Jackson and Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids.

State police have taken over the direction of traffic at the State Ferry dock at St. Ignace. The situation had been beyond control for several days because of the desire to carry across the Straits. The automobiles now are being moved in an orderly manner.

Three persons were injured, one seriously when a D. U. R. intruder jumped an open switch at Sunnyside, two miles south of Goodrich and crashed into a work train. The injured all residents of Rochester, were taken to Goodrich hospital.

A garage and three dwellings were destroyed by fire at Marine City, causing damage estimated at \$25,000. The fire, origin unknown, started in the garage. Eight automobiles were destroyed by the flames.

Attempts to evade paying the full auto license tax on the part of motorists, who are trying to benefit by the 50 per cent reduction in the tax Sept. 1, will be thwarted according to a bulletin issued to branch office managers by the Department of State. Affidavits signed by a sheriff or a chief of police to the effect that the vehicle for which a license is applied has not been driven before Sept. 1, will be required if the title to the machine was issued previous to that date, the bulletin says.

Police have been searching for a safe containing \$25,000 in negotiable papers, which was hauled away from the offices of the Stehouwer garage, Grand Rapids, on a truck.

Eight sleeping children imprisoned behind locked doors were carried through flames and smoke in a daring and spectacular rescue from La Belle Resort Hotel at Gull Lake, 14 miles west of Battle Creek, which was totally destroyed by fire with an estimated loss of \$85,000. The children had been locked in rooms by their parents and were sleeping when the fire broke out. After breaking down doors firemen carried all of them to safety. The fire was caused, it was believed, by a leaking gas heating plant.

Prosecuting Attorney Leroy Bibby and Sheriff Jerome S. Morden investigated charges on the part of Colburn Munger and Guy Funk, members of the State Police, that a mob had taken four prisoners from them at Ramona Park, a Long Lake resort. The officers say that they arrested the four men on charges of intoxication. As they were taking the four out of the park they met the mob, which resented the arrest of the men and threatened violence.

The city of Jackson kept within its 1925 budget by \$43,948.72 for the first six months of the year, according to figures made public. The budget charges for the six months amounted to \$563,243.83, or \$25,881.25 less than one-half the year's appropriations of \$593,128.18. Taxes collected during July, 1925, totaled \$603,698.82, while in July, 1924, \$447,838.46 in taxes were collected. However, the total amount of the city tax in 1924 was \$527,780, while this year it is \$779,326.72.

Following the recent strike of employees of the Mary Charlotte mine, workmen at the Rolling Mill Mine, south of Neogahee, walked out asking for a return of the wage scale which was in effect when the mine was shut down late last year. At the resumption of operations on May 1, a 15 percent reduction in wages was put into effect, but the property was worked six days instead of five, a schedule now in effect at the other mines in the district.

While David Yates was serving a sentence in the Uly jail, about 100 Uly men and youths wrecked his home, which long had been regarded as an "eyesore" to the community. The mob attached ropes to the roof and pulled it to the ground. Then it attacked the walls and within a few minutes every part of the home was in ruins. To complete the destruction the mob scattered Yates' personal possessions about the yard.

Joseph Fordney, 13 years old, grandson of former Rep. Joseph W. Fordney, rescued Helen Gates, maid at the Fordney summer home at Tawas Beach, when she went beyond her depth in Saginaw Bay, according to word received. He swam from shore when Miss Gates screamed for help, towed her more than 200 feet to the beach and used his Boy Scout knowledge of life saving methods to resuscitate her.

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A futile effort to save 80 cents cost Joseph Vanderveest, a celery grower at Kalamazoo, a fine of \$750 in Municipal court. Vanderveest was driving 35 miles an hour, the officer reported, on his way to the city treasurer's office. As it was the last day for the payment of summer taxes, he sought to escape the 80 cents delinquency penalty fee.

The Rev. Dr. John Dysart, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church of Flint, has announced that the church in which no services have been held for the past two weeks will be entirely renovated and redecorated early in September. As soon as the alterations are complete the Episcopal church will again hold its regular services.

Jackson prison authorities announced that two prisoners paroled to work with the road building gang at Ypsilanti, escaped from the prison camp Sunday. The men are Albert Burns, serving from two to five years for larceny, sent up from Detroit, and Joseph Romero, Detroit, serving from one to five years for larceny.

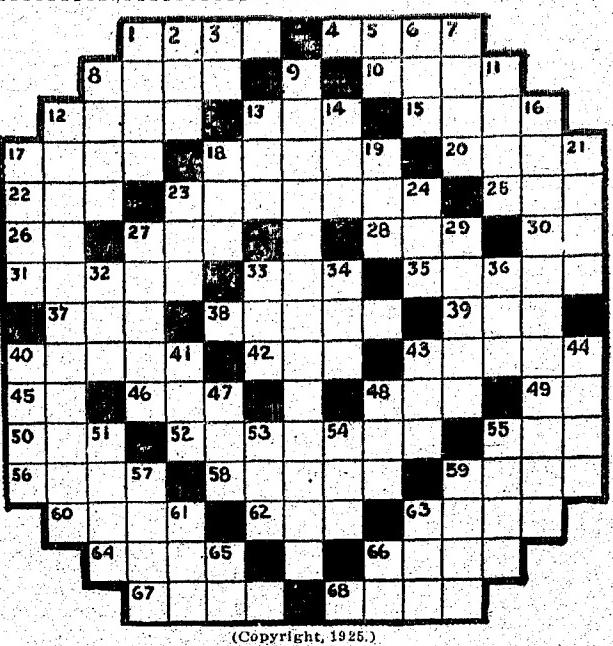
Investigation of the theft of garbage was the peculiar request recently by the police from Nahum Long, Flint garbage commissioner. He said that the garbage was taken from the rear of the Elk's Club and other downtown eating places. Garbage collected by the city is used to fatten hogs on a city-operated farm.

With the arrival at Lansing of Senator William Pearson, of Boyne City; Rep. Alonso B. Green, of Alpena; Grove M. Rouse, of Atlanta, and others from cities in the northern part of the Lower Peninsula, the contest between cities seeking a new normal school has assumed definite proportions. The law passed by the 1925 Legislature has become effective, giving the State Board of Education authority to choose a site for a fifth State Normal school in the northern part of the state.

Herbert Hammond, 17 years old, amateur Muskegon high school athlete, pleaded guilty to breaking and entering and was sent back to jail to await sentence. Hammond, with seven other boys, was alleged to have taken part in 31 robberies in various western Michigan cities.

Police have been searching for a safe containing \$25,000 in negotiable papers, which was hauled away from the offices of the Stehouwer garage, Grand Rapids, on a truck.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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Horizontal:	18—Weep	19—Tinsel
1—Financial establishment	21—Peasant of India	22—Spoon
4—Blow with open hand	23—Spoonful for "wone"	24—Dress of hearing
12—To look askance	25—A sharp blow	26—Pear elder
14—In place	16—Precious stone	27—Odor
18—How or rank	28—Shophouse Indian	29—Before
19—To pack	30—Heals	31—A toy
20—To look askance	32—A son of Noah	33—Nose made by a cow
22—A son of Noah	34—To encircle	35—Weed
23—To encircle	36—Pig's residence	37—Domestic
25—To gape	38—Fruit of blackthorn	39—Vegetable
27—To yelp	40—To utter in words	41—To drug
30—Royal observatory (abbr.)	42—Article of furniture	43—Article of furniture
31—To draw forth	44—A number	45—A number
32—Definite article	46—To devoured	47—To eat
35—To forgive	48—South African farmers of Dutch descent	49—Cut off
36—South African farmers of Dutch descent	50—Royal observatory (abbr.)	51—Beeseech
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One of the most interesting exhibits, from the farmer's point of view, at the seventh annual Michigan State Fair will be the United States Department of Agriculture display which has as its object the teaching of better farming methods.

G. W. Dickinson, secretary-manager of the Fair, in keeping with his policy to minister to the needs of the farmer first at all times, obtained this exhibit after lengthy negotiations with the Department of Agriculture at Washington. The government exhibit will be open every day of the Fair, from September 4 to 18.

The Michigan exhibition, by the way, is the first for this new display, which has been prepared by the government chiefly for the purpose of exhibiting at the National Dairy Show in Indianapolis. The Fair management, therefore, feels quite elated in having obtained it for its premier showing. The exhibit will be housed in the Dairy Building.

There will be a number of divisions, one showing the value of market news service to the farmer and others. Cooperative marketing is the subject of another division, a symbolic exhibit showing the benefits derived from cooperative marketing.

Another department tells why underfeeding is uneconomical and shows the importance and profit of proper feeding for dairy cows. The need for better bulls, which shows the worth of rotation of co-operative bulls, is covered in another department.

That pastures can reduce feeding costs is revealed in a division which shows the relation of good pastures to the cost of feeding dairy cows. Better cows, better income, is the title of still another exhibit. It brings out the relation between production of butter fat and income above feeding costs, and how the type of cow influences improvements of the farmstead.

The value of co-operative cow testing work is covered, too, the worth of this plan being well illustrated. The need for culling is a division that there always has been and always will be a need for culling the dairy herd, as revealed by cow testing records.

A department that covers records over a number of years should be interesting to every agriculturist. It shows the trend of prices for milk, butter and cheese for a period extending from 1907 to 1924.

How to produce clean milk is a department that by models shows the methods and equipment necessary for this important work. Other subjects covered by the governmental display include: Farm organization, milk for the family, use of dairy products on the farm, dairy industry statistics, soy beans for the dairy farm, value of pure breeds, care of calves, and co-operative bull associations.

"Michigan farmers who attend this year's Fair will see in the United States exhibit one of the best displays ever assembled for the benefit of the man on the land," said Mr. Dickinson in commenting on this feature of the Fair. "There will be men from the extension service of the Department of Agriculture on hand at all times to explain the several exhibits, which should be seen by every farmer who visits the Fair."

C. A. Lindstrom, in charge of the Division of Exhibitions of the United States Department of Agriculture, is directing the staging of the exhibit.

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LOVELLS NEWS.

Isaac Goodall, who has been ill for a few days was removed to Grayling last week.

Claude Fuller and family have moved away.

Ray Duby left for Saginaw Monday.

Mrs. Caid spent Sunday in Lewis-ton.

As blackberries are ripe a good many Lovells folks are busy picking them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Mundt and his mother Mrs. Fred Mundt returned to Saginaw Monday.

The last dance of the season at Lovells was given last Thursday evening. Mr. Mumbaugh, who has been living on his farm, has left town.

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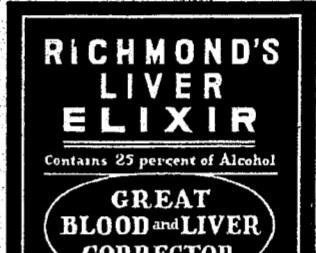
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